

Hunter Mill Highlights

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Tuesday's Board of Supervisors agenda contained some good news pieces. We approved an application to the Virginia Department of Transportation FY2015 Transportation Alternatives Program for improvements along Old Courthouse Road. Westbriar Elementary School PTA and Fairfax County Public Schools identified a list of road and sidewalk projects that will improve the connectivity to the school by completing gaps in the sidewalks. We also approved introductory rates for the new bike storage room at the Wiehle Metro station. Early subscribers will get reduced rates for their annual membership to the bike storage areas.

Coming up in the Hunter Mill District, please consider supporting our collection efforts for a military unit currently serving in Afghanistan. This unit has a local connection as the commanding officer is a Reston native and graduate of South Lakes High School. (See Announcements below for items and collection opportunities.) Your contributions and letters will be greatly appreciated by our troops and provide them with a little hometown cheer for the holidays.

Be sure to get in touch with the <u>Hunter Mill District Office</u>, 703-478-0283, if you have any questions or concerns.

Best wishes for a safe and HAPPY HALLOWEEN!

Cathy Hudgins

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Afghan Troops Taste of Home Collections: Collection at the South Lakes High School Varsity Football Game, Friday, November 8th. My office and South Lakes High School have teamed up to bring a taste of home to a unit of soldiers and sailors serving in Afghanistan. Your donations are needed! Along with the football game, items can be brought to the Hunter Mill District Office at 12000 Bowman Towne Drive, or to the Reston Community Centers at Hunters Woods or Lake Anne through November 15th. Click here for additional information and listing of requested items.

Wolf Trap Fire Station Grand Opening: Saturday, November 2, 11 a.m. Join Supervisor Hudgins and other Board members for the ribbon cutting at the new Wolf Trap Fire Station, 1315 Beulah Road in Vienna. Tour the new facility and get to meet the firefighters manning the station.

Chipotle Supports Southgate Community Center: Thursday, November 7th, from 4 to 9 p.m. Chipotle Mexican Grill at Reston Town Center (11913 Freedom Drive) will donate 50% of the profits on Thursday, November 7th to Southgate Community Center to support center programs.

10-29-2013 Board Action Highlights

Below are excerpts from the **October 29, 2013 Board of Supervisors** meeting that may be of interest to you, as a Hunter Mill District constituent. For additional details, please go to the County's Board Agenda and Meeting Schedule section on the County's webpage.

You may listen to <u>highlights from the Board meeting</u> on your computer or listen directly on iTunes. You can subscribe to the podcast, or choose a program and listen in.

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

Admin 4: The Board authorized advertising a public hearing on November 19, 2013, 4:00 p.m., to establish the Great Meadow Residential Permit Parking District in Reston.

Admin 11: The Board approved a grant of \$1,084,993 from the Department of Homeland Security Urban Areas Security Initiative to the Fire and Rescue Department to provide radios for communications needs between and among agencies in cases of emergency.

ACTION ITEMS

Action 1: The Board approved the reduced introductory rates for the Wiehle-Reston East Metrorail Station "Bike & Ride" bike room storage. The introductory rates for the annual bike room membership were reduced from \$75 to 45 for the early registration for annual membership, and \$75 for the two year membership.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

4:00 p.m. The Board held a public hearing on applications for the Virginia Department of Transportation FY2015 Transportation Alternatives Program. Included in the approved applications is the Westbriar Elementary School Access Improvements that include a list of improvements for connectivity to the school and along Old Courthouse Road.

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